WILLIAMSPORT, WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

Survey # * WA-WIL-025 Approximate date <u>late 19th century</u>
Street Address 30-32 North Conococheague Street
Town, State Williamsport, Maryland
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Description

Part of a row of three story painted brick late 19th century Italianate commercial/residential structures. It has original storefronts and a massive bracketed cornice. Attached is a two story, two bay section with Flemish Bond brick, dating from Ca. 1820, altered early 20th century. This is one of several Williamsport buildings with notable intact storefronts from the Ca. 1900 period. In 1910, this building is shown as a meat market on the Sanborn map. According to local informants, the Williamsport Savings Bank occupied the building from about 1915 through the 1920s.

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):

Industrial Urban Dominance - A.D. 1870-1930

III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):

Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning
Economic (Commercial and Industrial)

IV. Resource Type

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Urban

Historic Function(s) and Use(s):

DOMESTIC/multiple dwelling COMMERCE/TRADE/financial institution COMMERCE/TRADE/specialty store

Known Design Source: Unknown

Photo Reference: Photo # 4

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

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CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRES	ENT USE
DISTRICT	PUBLIC	X_OCCUPIED	AGRICULTURE	MUSEUM
X_BUILDING(S)	X.PRIVATE	UNOCCUPIED	X_commercial	PARK
SITE	BOTH PUBLIC ACQUISITION	WORK IN PROGRESS ACCESSIBLE	X_educational entertainment	X PRIVATE RESIDENCE
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CONDITION

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ORIGINAL SITE

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_ALTERED

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This building begins a row of three story Italianate commercial-residential structures which continues to the end of the first block of the west side of North Conococheague Street. It is a four bay structure built of brick, painted grey. Windows have single pane double hung sashes beneath segmental arches. The first story has two entrances: One at the southernmost bay which leads to the upper stories and one which is part of a store front which appears to be original.

The store front is a tripartite area consisting of two eliptically arched plate glass windows flanking a similarly arched recessed entrance. The store front is trimmed with molded recessed panels and topped with a cornice supported by decorative brackets.

At the second story facade's south end is a projecting window bay supported by brackets matching those used for the store front cornice.

The top of the building is crowned with a deep overhanging cornice and a series of alternating small and large brackets.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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SPECIFIC DATES		BUILDER/ARCHITECT		
		INVENTION		
_1900-	COMMUNICATIONS	INDUSTRY	POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	_OTHER (SPECIFY)
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_1700-1799	ART	ENGINEERING	MUSIC	THEATER
1600-1699	X_ARCHITECTURE	EDUCATION	MILITARY	_SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
1500-1599	AGRICULTURE	ECONOMICS	LITERATURE	SCULPTURE
_1400-1499	ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	CONSERVATION	LAW	SCIENCE
_PREHISTORIC	ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	COMMUNITY PLANNING	LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	RELIGION
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This building and its neighbors to the north form a significant late 19th century architectural statement. Originally built for combined residential and commercial use, they reflect the Italianate Style and most importantly remain today with only minimal alteration to their exteriors.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY Town lot 21' x 96'

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

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NAME / TITLE

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TREET & NUMBER 109 West Main Street			
CITY OR TOWN Sharpsburg	STATE Maryland 21782		

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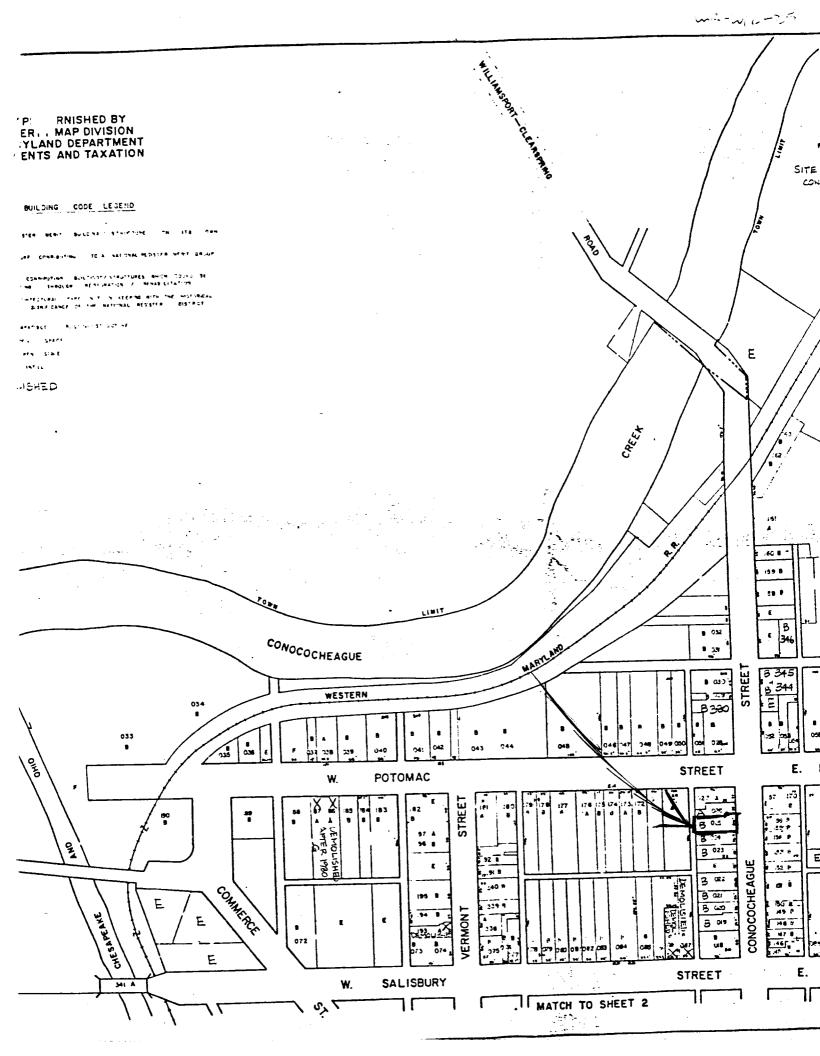
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Commercial/Residential Building, 28-32 North

April, 1980

East Elevation

Conococheague Street

Williamsport, Maryland, Washington County

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